

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The tricentennial of the arrival of the first German immigrants to the United States was celebrated on October 6, 1983; and,

WHEREAS, Such a day was proclaimed by the President to be German-American Day in honor of the contributions made by German immigrants to the life and culture of the United States; and,

WHEREAS, Such contributions should be recognized and celebrated every year; and,


WHEREAS, The German-American Friendship Garden, symbolic of friendly relations between West Germany and the United States, will be dedicated in the District of Columbia on October 6, 1987:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 6, 1987, as

GERMAN-AMERICAN DAY

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Third Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven.


GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


HAZEL TINE, SECRETARY OF STATE